

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| APPLICATION NO. | : | 10/073,472 | CONFIRMATION NO. 4361 |
| APPLICATION OF | : | ALLGAIER, Bernhard | |
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| CUSTOMER NO. | : | 30448 | |
| TITLE | : | Lifting Device | |

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Introductory Comments

This response to the Office Action dated June 1, 2006 is filed with a Request for Two Month Extension of Time and authorization to charge the extension fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0951. Remarks and comments are provided as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper;
- **Remarks/arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper; and
- **An Appendix of Replacement Sheets** follows page 9 of this paper.